

EXHIBIT A

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
TAMPA DIVISION

PHARMASTEM THERAPEUTICS,
INC.,

Plaintiff,

-vs-

CRYO-CELL INTERNATIONAL,
INC., et al.,

Defendant.
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Case No. 8:04-cv-1740-T-30TGW
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Tampa, Florida
8:45 a.m.

TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS
BEFORE THE HONORABLE JAMES S. MOODY, JR.,
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT JUDGE

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1 aspect with the June 2nd letter. They can't go in and
2 double-dip and get claims on the exact same facts that
3 they've already, you know, obtained the remedy from in a
4 previous case.

5 To the extent they filed a new case in Delaware,
6 that's where we have the problems, the Delaware two case,
7 because there the exact same counterclaims are in place than
8 they are in this court.

9 THE COURT: Okay.

10 MR. ANDRE: Thank you, Your Honor.

11 THE COURT: I'll approve the case management dates
12 sought by the parties. I'm going to stay this case for 120
13 days to see what MDL does with it. If nothing is resolved
14 in the 120 days, you can file a motion asking for a
15 preliminary injunction hearing. I'll give you the hearing,
16 and then I'll decide what to do with it.

17 I can tell you upfront that my first reaction is
18 it seems appropriate that all these related cases across the
19 country ought to be resolved by one court, whether it's
20 Judge Sleet or some other court. It's neither here nor
21 there to me, but it doesn't make -- it's not for good
22 judicial economy to have five different courts trying to
23 construe the same patents. So, I'll be glad to give you the
24 preliminary injunction hearing.

25 I can tell you where I'll be coming from and where

1 you will need to direct your persuasion. It would seem
2 appropriate to me that some court take the lead and construe
3 these patents; and then if we have separate trials on what
4 the separate parties are doing about them, that's fine. But
5 to me that would seem a strong reason why the MDL would have
6 all the pretrial discovery done in a consolidated fashion,
7 even to the point of having the patents construed through
8 the Martina hearing.

9 And the little bit I know about patents is at
10 least I do know that the federal district is now considering
11 changing the standards that you're supposed to use in trying
12 to construe patents; and we don't even know what that is
13 right now. Is that right?

14 MR. ANDRE: I believe the federal circuit is
15 looking at it -- it's a big case -- that's correct, Your
16 Honor; and the Supreme Court is considering that aspect.

17 THE COURT: Okay. All right. Well, if you still
18 have these burning issues pending after 120 days, let me
19 know, and I'll consider them.

20 MR. ANDRE: Thank you, Your Honor.

21 THE COURT: All right. Thank you.

22 (This matter was adjourned at 9:10 a.m.)

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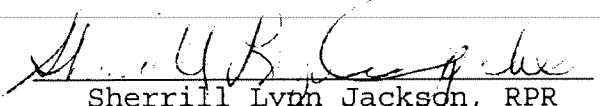
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CIRCUIT OF HILLSBOROUGH)

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